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Harry Gastley, Esq.
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Dear Mr. Gastley:

Thank you for your inquiry of 15 August concerning this Agency's citizenship requirement for staff employment:

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As I previously mentioned, our security regulations require that staff employees be U.S. citizens of at least five years' duration. In certain cases an exception to this rule is possible if an applicant possesses a skill for which the Agency has a critical need.

If I can be of further assistance, please let me know.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

Office of General Counsel

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